1 BEFORE THE PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION 2 STATE OF WASHINGTON 3 NO. 00-261 IN THE MATTER OF ENFORCEMENT 4 **ACTION AGAINST:** FINAL ORDER 5 6 BRIAN DERDOWSKI and CITIZENS FOR BRIAN DERDOWSKI. 7 8 Respondents. 9 10 11 The Washington State Public Disclosure Commission (Commission) conducted an 12 enforcement hearing under chapters 34.05 and 42.17 RCW and chapter 390-37 WAC on 13 September 26, 2000. 14 The Commission conducted the hearing to consider the stipulation between the parties as 15 to facts and violations and penalty. 16 The Commission held the hearing at Evergreen Plaza Building, Room 206, 711 Capitol 17 Way South, in Olympia, Washington. The Respondent appeared for the hearing. The Staff 18 appeared through Steve Reinmuth, Assistant Attorney General. 19 The Commission heard oral argument by both parties. The Commission also considered 20 the Report of Investigation and Statement of Charges. 21 The parties stipulated that the Notice of Administrative Charges and the Supplement to 22 Report of Investigation and Statement of Charges contained accurate statements of fact. The 23 parties stipulated that the stipulated facts constitute multiple violations of RCW 42.17.080 and 24 RCW 42.17.090 by Brian Derdowski and the Citizens for Brian Derdowski Committee. 25 The Commission accepted the proposed stipulated facts and violation as presented by the 26 parties.

Based on this record, THE COMMISSION ACCEPTS THE STIPULATED FACTS AND VIOLATION AND ORDERS that the respondents violated RCW 42.17.080 and RCW 42.17.090 multiple times.

against both respondents.

The Commission suspends \$500.00 of this penalty, unless the Respondents are found to have violated any provision of chapter 42.17 during the next four years from the date of this order.

THE COMMISSION FURTHER ASSESSES a combined total civil penalty of \$3000.00

The Respondents shall pay the non-suspended portion of the penalty according to the following terms: \$800.00 shall be paid to the Public Disclosure Commission on or before December 15, 2000. The Respondents shall pay a total of \$200 each month, on or before the 15th of each month, until the remaining balance is paid in full on or before September 15, 2001. If the 15th of a given month falls on a weekend or holiday during the payment period, the payment shall be due on the business day preceding that weekend or holiday. If any payment is not received by the Public Disclosure Commission by the 15th of the given month, the entire amount of the outstanding penalty shall be accelerated and declared to be immediately due from the respondents, including the \$500.00 previously suspended.

Any party may ask the Commission to reconsider this final order. Parties must place their requests for reconsideration in writing, include the specific grounds or reasons for the request, and deliver the request to the Public Disclosure Commission Offices within 10 days of the date that the Commission serves this order upon the party.

Under RCW 42.17.395(5), a final order issued by the Public Disclosure Commission is subject to judicial review under the Administrative Procedures Act, chapter 34.05 RCW. Under RCW 34.05.542(2), a petition for judicial review must be filed with the superior court in Thurston County or the petitioner's county of residence or principal place of business. The petition for judicial review must be served on the Public Disclosure Commission and any other

parties within 30 days of the date that the Public Disclosure Commission serves this final order on the parties. The Respondent is not required to ask the Public Disclosure Commission to reconsider the final order before seeking judicial review by a superior court. The Commission will seek to enforce this final order in superior court under RCW 42.17.395-397, and recover legal costs and attorney's fees, if the penalty is not paid according to the terms of this order and no petition for judicial review has been filed under chapter 34.05 RCW. DATED THIS 5 day of October 2000. FOR THE COMMISSION: VICKI RIPPIE, Executive Director